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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 3, 2004

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Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of November 3, 2004. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a three-month extension of time, thereby extending the time period for response from February 3, 2005 to May 3, 2005, as well as a check in the amount of \$1,020.00 as the fee for such extension. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. The Examiner is requested to review and consider the Remarks/Arguments presented herein.